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| In re Application of: | |
| | Donald John Newman |
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| Title: | LEVER HANDLE DOOR FURNITURE |
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Dear Examiner Lugo:

This correspondence is responsive to the Office Action mailed December 8, 2009 for the above-referenced application. The following Amendment and Response addresses every rejection set forth in the Office Action, thus placing the application in condition for allowance. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 please amend the above-referenced patent application as follows:

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